

## House Resolution No.

**Whereas**, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize Lori J. Levine, an esteemed resident of southern Boone County, Missouri, who has been named the Family Law Practitioner of the Year by The Missouri Bar Family Law Section; and

**Whereas**, Lori Levine joined the law firm of Carson & Coil, P.C., in Jefferson City in 1979, prior to which time she served as general counsel of the Missouri Department of Public Safety from 1977 to 1979; and

**Whereas**, Lori Levine received her law degree from the University of Missouri-Kansas City, where she served on the board of editors of the UMKC Law Review, received the Deacy Trial Advocacy Award, and was elected to the Bench & Robe; and

**Whereas**, a proud recipient of the 2001 Zonta Club Women of Achievement Award who was featured in the Mid-Missouri Business Journal in August 2001, Lori Levine concentrates her practice in family law and administrative law, representing licensed professionals before professional licensing boards and the courts; and

**Whereas**, a frequent speaker on and author of family law topics both locally and nationally, Lori Levine is exceedingly proud of her affiliation with such important organizations as the Missouri State Committee for the American College of Trial Lawyers, the American Academy of Matrimonial Lawyers, the American College of Trial Lawyers, the State Board of Law Examiners, the National Conference of Bar Examiners, the Jefferson City Area United Way, Capital Region Medical Center Foundation, and the Rape and Abuse Crisis Service of Mid-Missouri; and

**Whereas**, listed in The Best Lawyers in America since 1987, Lori Levine was appointed to chair the Supreme Court and Missouri Bar Joint Commission to Review Pro Se Litigation in 2002; and

**Whereas**, a devout member of Congregation Beth Shalom of Mid-Missouri, Lori Levine has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include her devoted husband, Jim Clardy, and her daughter, Alexandra:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Lori Levine at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing her only the very best of success in all her future endeavors; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Family Law Practitioner of the Year, Lori J. Levine.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Margaret Donnelly  
District No. 73

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. \_\_\_\_, adopted \_\_\_\_\_, 2003.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker